

Contact: Captain Robert Stanley, Lehi Fire Department

Telephone: (385) 201-1081 **Email:** rstanley@lehi-ut.gov

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

LEHI PARAMEDIC HONORED BY UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY

Brady Cragun to be recognized as "Preceptor of the Year"

Lehi, Utah | April 23, 2015 – Lehi City Firefighter/Paramedic Brady Cragun is being honored by the Utah Valley University (UVU) paramedic program as "Paramedic Preceptor of the Year." The award ceremony will take place on Friday, April 24th at 10:00 a.m. at the Utah Fire and Rescue Academy located at 3131 Mike Jensen Parkway in Provo, Utah.

A paramedic preceptor is responsible to act as a mentor and trainer for paramedic students during on-the-job training. The Lehi Fire Department works with UVU to provide ride-a-longs and other on-the-job training opportunities for paramedic students. Students are assigned to a firefighter/paramedic platoon, where a preceptor provides training and observes the sills they learn in the classroom. Preceptors spend three months with students by the time the program is completed.



Brady Cragun

Brady was selected by students to be recognized with the "Preceptor of the Year" award. "We are tremendously proud of Brady for being recognized with this award," said Lehi spokesperson Robert Ranc. Ranc continued, "Lehi is a firm proponent of providing training opportunities for new firefighters and paramedics, and Brady's award is representative of the quality of training provided by our fire department."

Media members are invited to attend the award ceremony.

###

Lehi City is committed to transparency and keeping the community informed. For more information about this topic, please call Robert Ranc at (801) 768-7100 ext. 2271, or email Robert at rranc@lehi-ut.gov. Follow us on Facebook or our Twitter handle, @LehiCity.